

## Describes Post-War Conditions in Europe

Norwich, Saturday, Oct. 22, 1931.

### THE WEATHER

The disturbance that was central over the lower St. Lawrence valley Thursday night moved northward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Montana disturbance moved rapidly eastward to northern Minnesota.

Generally fair weather prevailed during the last 24 hours except that there were local rains in northern New England.

The temperature was approximately normal Friday night in eastern states.

The indications are for generally fair weather Saturday and Sunday in the states east of the Mississippi river.

The temperature will rise almost generally east of the Mississippi river Saturday and Sunday in the Atlantic states.

Winds off Atlantic coast: North of Sandy Hook: Fresh west and southwest winds, fair weather Saturday.

Sandy Hook to Hatteras: Moderate to fresh west and southwest winds and fair weather Saturday.

### Forecast

South New England: Fair Saturday and probably Sunday; warmer Sunday.

### Observations in Norwich

The Bulletin's observations show the following changes in temperature and barometric changes Friday:

	Ther. Bar.
7 a. m.	52.29.48
12 m.	52.29.48
6 p. m.	52.29.48
Highest 52, lowest 42.	

### Comparison

Predictions for Friday: Fair. Friday's weather: Fair, cooler, north-west wind.

### SUN, MOON AND TIDES

	Sun	High	Moons
Rises	Sets	Water	Rises
Day	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
22	6.02	5.04	9.55
23	6.03	5.04	10.25
24	6.04	5.05	11.00
25	6.05	5.06	11.50
26	6.07	5.09	12.41
27	6.08	5.11	1.34
28	6.09	5.13	2.30

Six hours after high water it is low water, which is followed by flood tide.

### TAFTVILLE

Interest in the village is centered between two coming events, the baseball game on Sunday and the soccer game today. The soccer team has a large following as has the baseball team and Taftville strongly supports both branches of sports.

The team of the Taftville Soccer association will play its final practice game before the series with Plainfield today when they lineup against a picked team from the Army-Navy club. Manager William Brown of the soccer team has secured the services of Walton and McClurg of Plainfield and the old standard of the team will play goal. Trooper, a Williamite boy, will be given a tryout. The soccer team has a strenuous season before it with a series with

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Belgium shows no signs of ever having been in war, said Rev. J. Beveridge Lee, D. D., of New London, who addressed a meeting of the Men's club of Park Congregational church in the Osgood Memorial Friday evening. You find no traces of war in Belgium, Dr. Lee said. The worst the war did to the Belgians was to insult them personally and terrorize them as men and women.

There was a good sized attendance at the meeting which was presided over by Philip A. Johnson, president of the club. Dr. Lee was introduced by President Johnson and the topic of his address was Present Conditions in the European Battle Area and in the Continental Countries.

Dr. Lee recently returned from a trip to Europe. During his travels he visited Belgium, France and England, which gave him an unusual opportunity to observe post-war conditions in those countries. Dr. Lee made the same trip two years ago and in his visit to those countries the past summer he found many changes.

Dr. Lee said that what we need most of all as Christian people is something, such as the World Wide movement started to bring us, a newspaper that gives the truth of things. Dr. Lee said it is a difficult thing to go on in Europe and that it is a difficult thing for the people of Europe to know intelligently just what is going on here.

In Dr. Lee's opinion the attitude of the German-American is somewhat different, somewhat worse than the real German attitude toward America. He cited as an example of the German-American's attitude towards this country an incident which occurred during his voyage. The ship he was on ran across a burning vessel at sea. The crew had put out in boats and were being picked up by another vessel. A lady on the steamer remarked, as she stood at the rail, that there was nothing more sudden or terrible than a steamer on fire at sea. A German-American standing near her said, "O, I don't know. She is only an American." Dr. Lee said that the real Germans he met on the voyage were very courteous, entirely different from the German-American.

On his journey he said he went first to Holland. One thing that impressed him was the way the people of Holland had profited during the war. At the present time he said that Holland, this country that made itself rich during the war is now facing its labor strikes and other interior troubles.

Speaking of the Ruhr valley coal region, he said: When you get into the Plainfield for the Lee Clog cup and games with Westerly United, American Thru of Westerly and Bradford, Bradford will open the season here next Saturday.

### NORWICH TOWN

Rev. Allen Shaw Bush of Gales Ferry is to supply the pulpit at the First Congregational church, Sunday morning, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Gordon P. Bailey, who is confined to the parsonage because of illness.

rade of Shriners, there would be certain Oriental features of a very interesting nature, much music, and that he also would march. It will be a very fine parade. With a great deal of modesty Mr. Kepler gracefully gave the general chairman, J. C. Macpherson, the greater portion of the credit for the very complete arrangements, but admitted, after urging that all of the real work passed through his hands. He also said that he would have, for distribution to his friends, a limited number of the seeds of those wonderful pumpkins.

### GOVERNOR LAKE TO BE GUEST

OF MR. AND MRS. A. H. CHASE

Next Wednesday will be a red-letter day for the Norwich Girls' Community club when they will have the presence of a real live governor to honor the ball which they are to give that evening at the state armory. Governor Lake will arrive in Norwich Wednesday afternoon, and will be entertained during his stay in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Chase. This will be the governor's first formal visit to Norwich, and entertainments are being planned for him and the members of his staff who will accompany him.

Morgan Cronin reports that the plans for decorations are well under way, and the decorating committee gives assurance that the armory will be transformed by its bunting and electrical effects into a fitting background for the big crowd that the Community club girls hope to have for the governor's reception.

The club girls wish to have it understood that evening dress is not necessary. They hope that everyone will come to meet the governor, as he has requested that the ball shall not be a formal military affair but rather an opportunity for him to meet the people of Norwich.

### Collected Beer Samples

Continuing to follow out the orders of State Director of Federal Prohibition Harry V. Mackenzie, Prohibition Agents Isadore Machol and Courland F. Brown of New London visited every saloon in Westerly, Pawtucket, Stonington, Mystic and way stations, collecting samples of the various kinds of beer being sold. The samples were labeled and bottled in the presence of the owners of the places visited.

The samples will be sent to government laboratories for analysis, and should any samples contain more than one-half of one per cent. of alcohol, the owner of the saloon in which it was sold, will be liable to prosecution, and the cafe probably seized by Director Mackenzie, through the use of the injunction power vested in him through provision of the Volstead act.

### Unclaimed Letters

Unclaimed letters at Norwich, Conn., post office for week ending October 22, 1931 are as follows: Mrs. Helen Blair, David Bothwell, Mrs. Mary Edwards, Miss Sadie Foley, Mrs. Millie Gray, W. A. Karkutt.

## TWO JUDGES WILL MAKE ASSIGNMENTS FOR TWO COURTS

A short calendar session of the superior court is to be held in Norwich next Friday, Oct. 28, by Judge George E. Hinman, at which Judge Hinman will probably assign jury cases for the November session of the court which opens in this city on the first Tuesday in that month.

At the same time and place, Judge Allen L. Brown will assign court cases for the first week of November for the November additional session of the superior court which opens in New London on the first Tuesday in November.

## Boy Scout Exhibits and Prizes

The first prize native wood exhibit collected by Assistant Scout Master Lucius Davis of Troop No. 2, Norwich, at Camp Thimpean, is now displayed in the window of Cranston's book store on Broadway. The prizes awarded for this collection, as well as the prizes awarded to Allen Latham, Jr., for the second best collection, and the prize awarded to Edward Preston of Taftville, Troop No. 3, are also displayed there. For the past few days Latham's collection

was shown in the window. Attention is called to the fact that these collections are excellently prepared and show a great deal of work in finishing and preserving the specimens. One collection consists of 34 different species, and the other of 24 varieties. Eventually this collection will be a permanent exhibit at the Boy Scout headquarters, 28 Shannon building, where a fine lot of models will be kept.

## MacDonald-Prince Wedding

Announcement is made of the marriage Sunday, Oct. 18, of Miss Gladys P. Prince, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Prince, 22 Amity street, and Henry H. MacDonald, 201 Connecticut avenue, both of New London. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Beveridge Lee, D.D., at his home in New London, with only a few intimate friends in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald will reside in Westerly, R. I., where Mr. MacDonald is employed.

Don't think that because a cat looks the picture of innocence it is wise to leave it alone with the canary.

## BOY SCOUTS WILL MAKE TREASURE HUNT IN PARK

The Boy Scouts of Norwich and vicinity will go on the quest of mysterious hidden treasure. This treasure, it has been rumored, was hidden centuries ago in the vicinity of Mohegan park. Whether this mysterious treasure was buried by some early settler to prevent the Indians from obtaining it, or whether some hardy buccaner, of the time of Captain Kidd, Black Beard or other daredevil of the sea hastily put into New London harbor and stealthily sailed up the River Thames is a question.

Whatever the origin of this treasure there is one thing certain, that the Boy Scout sleuths of Norwich are going to organize a plan for a systematic search this (Saturday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, and they do not intend to leave a stone unturned until they unearth, uncover, or disclose all the Spanish Doubloons.

Pieces of eight, or whatever other treasure is buried there. It will be of interest to hear the result of the Scouts' treasure hunt.

Successful dentists live from hand to mouth.

## POETRY TO AUTUMN

Season of mist and mellow fruitfulness. Close bosom friend of the maturing sun, Conspiring with him how to load and bless With fruit the vines that round the thatch of eaves, To bend with apples the moss'd cottage-trees, And fill all fruit with ripeness to the core; To swell the gourd, and plump the hazel shells With a sweet kernel; to set budding more, And still more, later flowers for the bees. Until they think warm days will never cease, For summer has o'erblown the breeze.

Who hath not seen thee oft amid thy store? Sometimes whoever seeks abroad may find Thee sitting careless on a grassy hill, Thy hair soft-lifted by the winnowing wind; Or on a half-dead fennel stem, or fallen bough, Drowsed with the fume of poppies, While thy sharp eyes pry into all of us, Spares the new-swath and all its twisted flowers; And sometimes like a gleaner thou dost keep Steady thy laden head across a brook; Or by a soft-wooded water, looking back, Thou watchest the last evening hours by hours.

Where are the songs of Spring? Ay, where are they? Think not of them, thou hast thy music too— While winds blow soft through a-sleeping day, And touch the stubble plains with rosy foam; Then in a wailful choir the small gnats mourn Among the river-sallows, borne aloft, Or sinking as the light wind lives of itself; And full-grown lambs loud bleat from hilly bourn; Hedge-crickets sing, and now with treble soft The red-breast whistles from a garden-crook; And gathering swallows twitter in the skies.

—John Keats

## THE ARROW AND THE SONG

I shot an arrow into the air,  
It fell to earth, I knew not where;  
For so swiftly it flew, the sight  
Could not follow it in its flight.

I breathed a song into the air,  
It fell to earth, I knew not where;  
For so swiftly it flew, the sight  
Could not follow it in its flight.

I found the arrow, still unbroke,  
And the song, still beginning, and  
I found again in the heart of a friend,  
—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

## HUMOR OF THE DAY

Take one reckless, natural born fool. Two or three big drinks of bad liquor.

A fast, high-powered motorcar. Soak the fool well in the liquor, place in the car and let him go. After due time remove from the wreckage, place in black, satin-lined box and garnish with flowers. —Walton (Ga.) News.

A well-known admiral—a stickler for uniform—stopped opposite a very portly sailor whose medal ribbon was an inch or so too low down. Flaring the man with his eye, the admiral asked: "Did you get that medal for eating, my man?"

On the man replying "No, sir," the admiral rasped out: "Then why the deuce do you wear it on your stomach?" —Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

"Mr. Grabcohn will see you in a few minutes."

"It that Mr. Grabcohn bellowing in his private office?" asked the troubled visitor.

"Yes."

"I won't wait. Something tells me this is not a propitious time to bring up the subject of financial difficulties." Birmingham Age-Herald.

"We had quite a game up at the boarding house last night."

"No, the landlady was going to tick one of the boys for not paying his board. I tried to check her, but she jumped me, crowned him and told us both to move."

"Did you do it?"

"Check." Science and Invention.

Casey: "Have you struck a job yet, Motke?"

Finnecan: "Shure o'we not. They all want local references. A fella can't get a job in the bus 'till he's worked here for a whole year."—Exchange.

## KALEIDOSCOPE

According to scientists sounds are diverted and lessened during rain. That is because the falling rain "distorts" the sound waves from their source.

Since the world war, 1,137,840 dogs disappeared in France. Many thousands while employed as messenger bearers accounted for were killed by projectiles with the French army.

In France 350,000 soldiers of that country were buried in open fields as battles progressed, and of these more than 230,000 have been identified and taken to concentration cemeteries.

Women are to be admitted to all branches of the British civil service under the same regulations as men, but for the present the government has declined to take up the question of equal pay.

The observatory of Cracow, Poland has issued some of its publications in a language devised by Professor Penzo, of Turin, known as Interlingua. It is essentially a much simplified form of Latin.

There are not more than four or five volcano observatories in the world the most important being those on Vesuvius and Kilimanjaro (Tanzania). Professional volcanologists are also very scarce.

Measurements of the temperature of pavements in hot weather have been made in a suburb of Chicago. Asphalt was hottest, with a maximum temperature of 124. Brick registered 118, and concrete 114.

Caroline Herschel, the discoverer of eight comets, and the accomplished partner of her brother's astronomical labors, never could remember the multiplication table, and always had to carry a copy of it about with her.

Thousands of gallons of ice cream are being shipped every month from Vancouver, British Columbia, to China, the frozen dainties being forwarded in specially constructed containers, holding about 500 gallons each.

Bamboo has been found successful as a reinforcement of concrete piles for use along a Chinese railway. Four strips of green bamboo, tied together at one-foot intervals with square loops also of bamboo, are placed at each corner of the pile and run lengthwise with it.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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